

Department of Steam Engine & Boiler Inspection,

PUBLIC BUILDINGS,

Entrance, Market and Juniper Streets.

Philadelphia, July 15th 1884

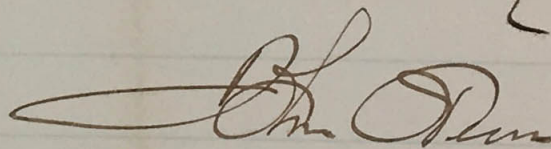
J Louder Snowden Esq
 Sup't U. S. Mint Phila
 Dear Sir

In accordance with your request and my duty, I respectfully report to you the result of our examination of the Boilers under your care, in the Mint of the United States

After a critical examination we find the lower shells or Head Drums very badly pitted, and reduced by oxidation and waste, and further, a serious growing along some of the curved seams

At present, I do not think the Boilers are perilous, but do think, it would be judicious at an early season, to arrange for their thorough repair or renewal, the latter of which I would advise - With regards. I am

Yours truly



Chief Inspector

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Dear Sir

In accordance with your request and my duty, I respectfully report to you the result of our examination of the Boilers under your care, in the Mint of the United States.

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Yours truly
John Dean
Chief Inspector